Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 25 Oct 2024 until 23:59 on Saturday 26 Oct 2024

Forecast Issued on Thursday 24 Oct 2024 at 11:29

Confidence: Moderate confidence until later Sunday, then falling low.

Headline for Friday 25 Oct 2024: Cloudy. Heavy rain in the morning, drier afternoon, further light rain in evening.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 25 Oct 2024

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** High Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Light rain	Dull	Dull	Light rain	Cloudy
Precipitation probability							
60%	70%	90%	80%	20%	20%	40%	20%

Forecast for Friday 25 Oct 2024

Weather: Cloudy throughout the day. Outbreaks of heavy rain at times in the morning, becoming mainly dry through the middle of the day, before some light rain again for a time in the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: Little chance in the morning, perhaps 20% for a time in the afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Widespread cloud down to lower slopes throughout the morning and visibilities falling poor in rain. Cloud perhaps becoming more broken for a time in the afternoon before conditions deteriorate again in the evening.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	22/31 SE	25/36 E	20/28 E	22/32 E	21/30 E	19/26 E	17/24 E	13/18 SE	15/22 S
300	12/21 SE	14/24 E	11/19 E	13/22 E	12/22 E	11/19 E	9/17 E	7/13 SE	8/15 S
Valley	10/20 SE	12/24 E	9/19 E	11/22 E	11/21 E	10/18 E	8/16 E	6/12 SE	6/14 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	10/6	10/6	10/6	10/6	10/6	10/6	9/6	9/6	8/4
300	12/10	11/9	11/9	11/9	12/9	11/9	11/9	10/9	9/8
Valley	13/11	12/10	12/11	12/10	13/11	13/11	12/11	12/11	10/9
<< Freezing Level*	2200m	2600m	2600m	2600m	2600m	2500m	2400m	2000m	1800m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Heavy rain in the morning will provide some wet and potentially slippery conditions underfoot.

Forecast for Saturday 26 Oct 2024

Weather: Mostly dry and bright in the morning, chance of the odd shower. Turning cloudier through the afternoon, with outbreaks of rain for a time, clearer again in the late evening.

Maximum wind: South veering southwest and strengthening to mean 30mph, gusting 40mph in the afternoon and evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 80% or higher in the morning, falling to 50% for a time in the later afternoon and early evening.

Low cloud and visibility: Summits clear and visibilities good for the morning. Cloud building from the west through afternoon, falling to around 600-800m for a time in the late afternoon and early evening, as visibilities falling to moderate or poor in rain. Conditions improve again by late evening.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 10 rising to plus 15 Celsius.
At 700m: Plus 4 to plus 7 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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